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GREAT WATERWAYS IS AN ADVANTAGE TO ACTION

BECK DELIVERS JUDGMENT IN BANK APPLICATION

RAILWAY CO. AND CONSTRUCTION CO. MUST NOW APPEAR WITH ROYAL BANK AS CO-DEFENDANTS AGAINST THE PROVINCE

The Alberta and Great Waterways railway, and the Canada West Construction company, are included as co-defendants with the Royal Bank of Canada, in the action brought by the province of Alberta to secure control of the \$7,400,000 of Waterway loan money.

That is the effect of the judgment handed down at two o'clock this afternoon by Mr. Justice Beck, in the application by the Royal Bank to have these parties included in which judgment has been pending for two weeks.

The other parties which the Royal Bank applied to have included, namely, Morgans of London, and the Standard Trust Co., which executed the loan agreement with Morgans, the railway company and the province are not included.

Writs will immediately be served on the representative of the Great Waterways and the Canada West Construction Company, who still holds office room in the Alberta block on West Jasper. Frank Ford, K.C., is the legal representative of the two companies, and he will shortly file defenses in the action, on behalf of the companies.

Tomorrow the application of the Dominion Bank and Union Bank for interpleaders in the action will come up.

The effect of Mr. Justice Beck's judgment is that the Royal Bank, should it lose out in the suit, will be relieved of all responsibility to the Waterways company, and the construction company, and will be rendered free from liability of suit by those companies.

C.P.R. LAND MAY BE SOLD BEFORE 20 YEARS

LAND MAN MAKES FORECAST THAT EVERY ACRE OF BIG AREA WILL BE PAYING TAXES BEFORE EXEMPTION TERM IS UP

Within the next ten years, or in perhaps even a shorter period, nearly every acre of the lands at present held by the Canadian Pacific Railway in Alberta, will be paying taxes into the provincial treasury.

This is the prophecy of a man that has been handling C.P.R. lands for twenty years, although it is contrary to the general expectation from the decision handed down last week by the Privy Council, that the province will have no right to tax C.P.R. lands until twenty years after the patents have been issued for those lands to the Canadian Pacific Railway.

These, the Canadian Pacific Railway, will probably never pay any taxes on these lands, since it has the right to a twenty year exemption after taking over the patents. But immediately the land passes out of the hands of the C.P.R. for the first time, it becomes taxable, and it is a safe bet that the railway company will have the great majority of its lands sold before the twenty years are up.

Thus, of course, means that a great railway corporation is exempt, a settler will be the ones to eventually pay the taxes. This may mean so in every case, however, since should a settler through his agreement, not have been issued a patent, the company, the land will fall back on the hands of the company, and will remain taxable by the province. That is the only instance in which there is a possibility of the province taxing the C.P.R. within the twenty years.

Several years ago, the Western Canadian Land Company purchased 50,000 acres of Canadian Pacific lands. Much of this land will be in the hands of the company, and it is paying annually to the provincial government large sums in taxes.

The Canadian Pacific Railway still own close to ten million acres of land in the Province of Alberta. Five million of this is in the hands of the Central and Northern Alberta.

Patents for practically all of this land have been issued by the department of the interior. The twenty year exemption has commenced to run. But it is safe to say that none of this land will be in the hands of the C.P.R. twenty years from now.

STRATHCONA MAN C.P.R. OFFERS BIG PRIZE TO FARMERS

Will Give \$1000 in Gold for Best Sample of Wheat On American Continent

Edmonton district farmers will compete for the big prize of \$1000 in gold which is being offered in competition by the Canadian Pacific railway for the best sample of wheat grown on the American continent. Particulars of the competition can be had at the office of the Edmonton exhibition association.

The competition is to take place at the third year of the Queen's University. The prizes offered by the scholarship are a three year residence scholarship in England and a yearly allowance of \$1500 during these terms. Mr. Scott will take up his residence at Oxford, and begin his studies with the opening of the term on October 1st next.

It was during the visit here last November of Dr. G. R. Parkin, the Rhodes scholarship trustees London, that arrangements were made for the awarding of one scholarship in alternate years to the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta. This year the honor was conferred upon the province. While here Dr. Parkin appointed a permanent committee to look after the award of the scholarship during the years in which it is tendered to Alberta. This committee is composed of the following officers: The Lieutenant-Governor, Sir James Macleod, Chief Justice of Alberta, Chancellor of the Provincial University, President of the University of Alberta, and the Deputy Minister of Education as secretary. According to the provisions of the Rhodes scholarship funds, a student is eligible for the province in which he has his permanent home or in the province

WILL ATTEND CORONATION

Premier Sifton Receives Invitation and Will Sail for England in May

Premier Sifton has received his official invitation through Earl Grey to attend the coronation of King George V in England on June 22nd next. The invitation comes in the form of a letter from Right Hon. L. Harcourt, secretary of state for the colonies. Premier Sifton has booked his passage to England, and will leave the latter part of May, accompanied by Mrs. Sifton, and his daughter, Mrs. Dennis.

C. N. BRANCH LIES COMPARATIVE

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The railway committee of the Commons today reported with some slight amendments to C.N.R. bill to incorporate the Canadian Northern branch lines company, which proposed to build a number of lines in the west which have already been described in the Canada Gazette. The provisional directors of the company are: F. P. Plag, H. B. Russell, G. F. MacDonnell, R. H. Temple and A. J. Reid, all of Toronto. It is provided that the capital stock of the company shall be in millions of dollars and the head office in Toronto.

TWO HOTELS ARE AFTER LICENSES

Applications From West Edmonton Men Tabled by Commission Until Feb. 16th

Rival applicants for a liquor license in West Edmonton (Calder), appeared before the license commission on January 14th. The applicants were: Robert Dewar, who proposes to erect a hotel to be known as the Empire Hotel, and Mr. J. H. McKeckcher, who proposes to erect a hotel to be known as the Union hotel. This building also has been licensed.

The liquor ordinance requires that the signatures of residents of any district in which a license is desired must have been attached to the receipt of the application fee by the provincial treasurer. The application of the Empire hotel was the first to be received, but it is understood that it is longer than that of the Union hotel. Mr. Dewar forwarded the necessary fee on January 14, on January 14, the application fee of the Union hotel was sent in.

The hearing, which took place here, was held by the commission, Dr. St. John, McKeckcher and D. C. Bayne, was adjourned until Feb. 16, when further information as to the merits of the case, or Mr. Dewar's application will be on hand.

No opposition to the granting of a license was offered by the moral reformers. West Edmonton has a population of between 400 and 500 people, and there are less than 20 dwelling houses in the village. According to the provincial law a license may be obtained for a village of 20 dwelling houses in the license area. Mr. H. Parlee, of Boyle and Parlee, representing for the Union hotel, E. B. Williams for the Empire hotel.

LABOR WILL BE SCARCE THIS YEAR

Laborers of every class and description are very scarce in Edmonton at present. That is the report made by local employment agents.

Lumber camps are short of men to make the winter cut of lumber, and are pouring in demands from day to day. On the employment men, who are finding difficulty in filling the orders. Between 400 and 500 men are wanted for the winter cut of lumber, and are not to be had in the city.

The charge that there are a large number of unemployed men is denied by the employment men. "It is impossible for us to get enough men to fill our orders," said one yesterday.

Several hundred men are wanted at once for railway construction work. Orders are on file from the Grand Trunk Pacific camps which call for many men that are impossible to procure. The demand for men is for rock work in the mountains.

The indications are now that the employment agents will have a busy time running up the big army of laborers that will be needed for the railway camps west of Edmonton this summer. The demand for men is increasing every day, and with the opening up of spring, and the construction work in this country is concerned in the matter of grain so long as we are exporting a surplus, it seems that the price is decided upon in foreign markets and we cannot be harmed.

TELEGRAPH NEWS

Happenings in the World at Large Boiled Down for Busy Readers

Committees Disagree. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 9.—O. S. Crockett, M. A., and F. B. Carleton, M. A., are the two parliamentarians most interested in the drooping accounts of the government. The former, a member of the opposition, has been responsible for giving much publicity to some of the contracts entered into by the public works department, while Mr. Carleton acts as chief counsel for the defence.

Accordingly, there are many vigorous interchanges between these two parliamentarians in public accounts committee.

Wild Swan in New Ontario. Fort William, Ont., Feb. 9.—To all appearances, as well as the decision of the New Ontario forest, which has been his sole companions for the past four years, John Macdonald, 10 years of age, is an earnestly taken out and trappers of skins, was taken through Fort William from this city to Kenora, where he will be committed to the institution there for the winter months.

He had existed during the four years on raw fish, rabbits and fowl, which he shared or killed with staves or chiefs. In the home nature had fashioned for him, he was found only a pile of dry leaves, two or three dried skins and a pile of bones, nothing is known of his antecedents.

Improve Church. Winnipeg, Feb. 9.—Improvements to be contemplated. This will include a new church to be erected on the site of the present one, and a new organ, completion of the tower and installation of chimneys.

No Reply From Laurier. Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 9.—Premier Roblin and Hon. Robert Rogers returned this morning from Ottawa where they held a conference with reference to the extension of Manitoba's boundaries.

Mr. Roblin said that the province had made a request for equality of treatment, but the Dominion government had declined to do so.

Mr. Roblin had promised that some kind of an order would be made within ten days, but nothing was offered at this time.

Can't Find Conductor. London, Ont., Feb. 9.—All efforts to locate train conductor William McKeckcher, who was in charge of the light engine, which, running contrary to orders, caused a wreck in which six lives were lost Saturday night, have failed. He is wanted in connection with the inquiry at Princeton this afternoon. His relatives absolutely decline to say anything regarding his whereabouts.

German Spies in Bermuda. Hamilton, Bermuda, Feb. 9.—The German scare has extended to Bermuda. It is stated that a German ship, the arrival of which was expected, was found to be a German ship, the arrival of which was expected, was found to be a German ship.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—The convent school of the Sisters of Sainte Anne de Lachine, situated on St. Joseph's street, was burned to the ground last night. The cause of the fire was a gas stove.

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Bill Paid Farmers. Victoria, Feb. 9.—In the legislature today, Hon. Bryce Ellison, minister of finance and agriculture, referred to his statement that he had heard that James J. Hill had furnished fifty thousand dollars to the farmers of the province.

It is understood Mr. Ellison's authority for the statement is a dispatch published in an eastern paper and so not telegraphed that paper for further information.

The rumor that Hillers had started a libel action is not understood here. Lawyers here cannot see where Hillers comes in as Ellison did not say anything about Hillers.

EVENTS TONIGHT

Home Society—Will meet at the home of J. A. McLaughlin at eight o'clock.

Separate School Ball—Children's dance, under auspices of the Edmonton school board.

Empire Theatre—"A Stubborn Girl."

Lyceum Theatre—Sherman's Musical Comedy in "The Sultan of Zulu."

Bilbo Theatre—First street and McLeod street—Theatrical pictures, continuous performance.

Hockey—Provincial league—M.C.A. vs. Varsity; Beavers vs. B.N.C.

TO START ON BIG CONTRACT

Edmonton Iron Works Have \$250,000 Contract to Manufacture 1,000 Plows Every Year

Commencement has been made by the Edmonton Iron Works, on Kinisling avenue, a contract covering five years, to manufacture 1000 plows per year, from the Rountree patent. J. C. Rountree, general manager of the Iron Works, stated to a Capital reporter this morning, that he was putting forth every effort to fulfill the contract.

The contract is for the manufacture of the plows invented by Dr. Rountree, who now lives in Red Deer. The contract was signed last fall, and totals a quarter of a million dollars, and is the biggest contract ever taken by any Edmonton manufacturing concern.

As at first the intention of Dr. Rountree to establish a plant of his own in Edmonton, but after some negotiations with the city and board of trade, the inventor considered the inducements not sufficient, and turned the contract over to the Edmonton Iron Works.

Special machinery for the manufacture of the plows is being installed in the factory. A carload of this machinery reached the city from the east this morning. Additional employment to the number of 35 men has already been secured, and still further number will be required as the capacity of the plant for producing the plows is increased.

FIVE APPLICATIONS FOR FRANCHISES

Will Be Discussed by City Council at Special Meeting Tomorrow Afternoon

The application of five companies who desire to obtain franchises from the city will be considered by the council at a special meeting of the council to be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It is anticipated that at the meeting tomorrow a final disposition will be made of some of these, and the whole question of the granting of franchises will be discussed in detail.

At the present time the council has before it two applications for franchises for the supply of artificial gas. The International Heating and Lighting Company, and the Macdonald Construction Company, of New York, have applied for franchises of this character. The former Alberta Natural Gas company, has asked for information as to the terms on which a natural gas franchise might be made of some of these, and the whole question of the granting of franchises will be discussed in detail.

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DECLARE OPEN SHOP FOR BUILDING TRADES

At Convention Concluded This Morning, General Contractors Make Important Decision—Will Grant Slight Increases All Round

The action of the contractors in declaring open shop for all building trades, and a tie-up of building trades in the best building year Edmonton has ever had in prospect, is the opinion of several in close touch with the situation.

Indications are that the action will result in the most gigantic fight between contractors and the unions that ever took place in the west. Union men feel that it is all a result of the visit of the National Builders' Association organizers last fall, when the Edmonton builders' exchange became affiliated with that organization.

Open shop for all building trades, is the declaration of the General Contractors' association of the Edmonton builders' exchange, according to a decision reached at a final meeting held this morning. "This does not include the bricklayers and masons' union and laborers' union, which have the necessary non-sympathetic clause in their agreements."

The open shop rule will come into effect May 1st. A uniform scale of wages for all trades, which grants a decrease in wages, has been drawn up and will be forwarded to the several unions. The following is a copy of the official letter sent to the unions.

Carpenters' Union. At a full meeting of the Edmonton Builders' Exchange held February 8, 1911, the following resolution was unanimously adopted in ratification of the action of the General Contractors' association of the Edmonton Builders' Exchange:

That whereas it is the firm conviction of this exchange that the agreement formerly existing between the General Contractors' association of this exchange and your Union, has been annulled through violations, and further, whereas other Unions have declared their determination not to enter into any further agreements with the Exchange, thereby making it impossible for the Exchange to obtain the services of the members of your Union, the Exchange declares, in behalf of its affiliated associations for open shop in all building trades except those of the Bricklayers and Laborers Unions, which latter in their agreement the necessary non-sympathetic strike clause.

This ruling goes into effect May 1, 1911.

To Other Unions Interested. The Edmonton Builders' Exchange with all affiliated associations, having unanimously declared in favor of the open shop for all building trades, except that of the Bricklayers and Laborers' Unions, which latter have in their agreements, the necessary non-sympathetic strike clause, you are hereby respectfully advised that there will be no further agreements.

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MAKES BID FOR EXPERIMENT FARM

Grassy Lake, a ranching center between Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, is one of the competing points for a demonstration farm. H. A. Driggs, representative of the board of trade, is a guest at the King Edward today, and will wait upon the minister of agriculture, to urge the request of his town that it be among the points selected for the five demonstration farms to be established this summer.

Insurance against bad weather for the various fairs of the province, in 1911, is to be undertaken by the department of agriculture, according to an announcement which has been made by officials of the department.

The department undertakes to furnish insurance for all the fairs that are to be held in the province this year, apportioning the insurance in accordance with the length and the importance of the various exhibitions.

The Edmonton Exhibition has for the past two years insured against rain and bad weather. The action of the department in giving insurance to all fairs will be of great benefit to all associations.

MANITOBA HOUSE OPENS

Winnipeg, Feb. 9.—Lieut. Gov. Sir Daniel McMillan, opened the first session of the thirteenth legislative assembly of the province, by reading a message from the governor in council, referring to the change of sovereignty of the province of the past year.

Reference is made to the election commission, the government has announced the progress in progress for securing the site of Fort Osborne barracks for new legislative buildings, and laboring in technical education commission. Legislation is foreseen amending the municipal act and the kings bench act.

Are you in favor of negotiating with Mr. Potter in connection with the Pigeon lake water scheme, inquired the Capital man.

"It seems to me," replied his worship, "that it is futile to obtain expert advice such as we obtained from Mr. Potter last year, if this advice is to be abandoned in favor of my opinion."

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When the Waterways was under discussion in the legislature the public was told that no first class road would use anything but jack pine or tamarac ties, and the fact that the A. & G. W. was cutting spruce ties was announced as prima facie evidence in the woodpile? that the road was to be a clap trap affair.

After the Waterways had been stopped the department of the interior foreclosed on these ties for timber dues. The ties are now being offered for sale. A bid has been made for the ties.

The parties who make the bid represent the Canadian Northern Railway. The ties are to be used on the Athabasca Landing line, a line being built under the provincial guarantee, on which the government is censor of the specifications. Just think this over.

William Taft, whom Carrie Nation said was a putty man, and of whom it has been said by his critics since the beginning that he was a man of straw, is proving somewhat of a big stick manipulator himself. It takes some force of character even in a president to declare to congress that they must pass or reject the reciprocity agreement now or he will keep them there until they do; and incidentally this is a new method of getting laws through.

When "the interests" in United States want to defeat a measure which is popular they do so by procrastination. Taft proposes, in in case the tariff measure does not get immediate attention during the present session of congress, to call another at once and keep them there until it does get attention.

The president who follows this course may force congress into the position where it must act or remain forever in Washington, but its action is likely to be tempered more with a zeal to bash the president than with any desire to get ahead with the country's business.

The request of some Ingleswood citizens for an extension of the street railway line north to Alberta avenue, which the city commissioners turned down, brings to mind the fact that there has never been published a definite and comprehensive plan of street railway extension.

It does not require a very expert knowledge of street railway affairs to appreciate the fact that the Edmonton system with its stub lines, is more like a crazy quilt effect than a definite plan, and it is easy to see that if the street railway is ever to take any definite form a plan for the future which provides for looping up the lines must be evolved sooner or later.

If such a plan were on file in the city offices where the whole town might see it, the citizen who wished to establish a home in some locality which would eventually be served by a street railway line would not have to take a property vendor's word for it, as the plan would be there for him to see if he choose to take the trouble to look at it.

Ontario fruit growers are kicking against the reciprocity arrangement because they say they will not be able to ship their fruit west and get the high prices they have been used to getting in Winnipeg and other western cities. This is corroboration of the suspicion which has been extant in the west for some time.

Ontario fruit growers have a country which is fertile, a climate which is salubrious, an equitable rainfall, almost complete immunity from pest, and the advantage of a long lake and short rail haul which guarantees, with care on their part, delivery of the fruit in good condition at this end.

On top of this they ask that the doors be locked against the competition of United States growers, most of whom have to resort to irrigation and almost all of whom have to fight adverse conditions.

Ontario asks that the grain growers of the west who do their farming in a climate which has more rigors to the month than Niagara has to the year, be made compulsory contributors to eastern prosperity, but the east would deny the west the privilege of selling its wheat in the best market.

It is a good thing that the reciprocity question has been raised. It shows the west pretty clearly the point of view of that section of the Dominion which arrogates to itself the title of cradle of the nation's greatness, and indicates that protection has robbed the eastern fruit grower of the one most valuable asset—self reliance.

The difference between the east and the west is that whereas the east walls out its lack of self-reliance, the west asks only that the government throw down all artificial barriers and give them a chance to meet the world even up.

Protection papers in which the wish is father of the thought announce with glee that the tariff arrangement is sure of ignominious annihilation at the hands of the United States senate. It may be possible that there once was a chance of something like that occurring, but not now. Joe Cannon got up before the Wool Manufacturers' association at their annual banquet in Washington the other night and declared that the reciprocity agreement must be emasculated. Not very many of them will have the nerve to vote for it after that. The senator or congressman who would take a chance on appearing to have the same ideas as Joe Cannon promulgates to the wool trust, has no desire to remain in public life.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

February 9.
1623—Pope Gregory XV. died. Born January 9, 1554.
1769—France ceded Canada to Great Britain.
1795—John Penn, grandson of William Penn and governor of Pennsylvania from 1723 to 1795, died. Born in Philadelphia in 1728.
1801—Manton Eastburn, fourth Episcopal bishop of Massachusetts, died in England. Died in Boston, September 11, 1872.
1885—Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the popular actress, died. Born in 1866.
1886—George Ade, humorist and playwright, born in Kentland, Ind.
1893—First train passed through the Hoosac Tunnel.
1886—Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock died in New York City. Born in Montgomery, Pa., Feb. 14, 1824.
1889—The incorporation and endowment of the Jesuits caused considerable excitement in Quebec.
1902—Property valued at \$8,000,000 destroyed by fire in Paterson, N. J.
1909—John McMillan, re-elected president of the Irish Nationalist party.

THIS IS MY BIRTHDAY.

Anthony Hope, one of the most brilliant and successful of the younger Englishmen of letters, was born in London, Feb. 9, 1863. His real name is Anthony Hope Hawkins. "Anthony Hope" being his pen-name. He was graduated from Oxford in 1885 and then began the study of law. Two years later he became a barrister at law and followed his profession for six or seven years. In the meantime he contributed numerous short stories to the magazines, which, though fairly well received, were only partial successes. In 1891 he published "The Prisoner of Zenda," which was an instant and lasting success. It was then that Mr. Hawkins abandoned the law and determined to devote himself to literature wholly. "The Prisoner of Zenda" was dramatized and proved unusually successful in America as well as in England.

TO PROMOTE THE PAN-AMERICAN TRADE

Washington, D.C., Feb. 9.—The Pan-American Union, formerly known as the Bureau of American Republics, is rapidly completing its arrangements for the Pan-American Commercial Congress, which is to be held here next week. The purpose of the conference, as announced by its promoters, is to awaken the commercial organizations, business men and the public of both North and South America to an appreciation of the possibilities of Pan-American commerce, and the necessity of rectifying the conditions for the commercial changes which will be brought about by the opening of the Panama canal. The conference will be unique in that no platform or resolutions of a controversial nature will be considered.

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Lot near to New Market.
House and barn on property.....\$10,000

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Corner lot on Namayo avenue \$1,100 all cash, or on terms.....\$1,200

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CANADA CEDED TO GREAT BRITAIN

Treaty of Paris Was Signed Just 148 Years Ago Today

One hundred and forty years ago to-day by the Treaty of Paris, Canada, together with all the territory between the Alleghenies and the Mississippi river, was ceded to Great Britain by the French government. February 9, 1763, marked the diplomatic triumph of the British, a triumph which had been assured by the capture of Quebec by Wolfe in September, 1759. The signing of the treaty marked a turning point in the history of North America. It was determined once and for all that henceforth British and not French civilization should predominate in the New World.

From the date of the Treaty of Paris, the continent steadily became more and more British in its institutions. It was not, however, until after the lapse of a long period of strife and hickering that the racial struggle in Canada was brought to a final conclusion. By "The Quebec Act" passed by the British government in 1774, the administration of affairs was entrusted to a governor and a legislative council appointed by the crown. The old civil laws and civil institutions of French Canada gained recognition in the act, though the English criminal laws were in force throughout the province. It was not, however, until almost a hundred years later, when the provinces were united under the British North America Act, that racial fusion made any real progress in Canada. Since that period there has been a growing tendency to sink all racial differences in devotion to the common ideal of Canadian nationality, and the great industrial growth and the transference of population from the east to the prairie provinces, and the vast increase in population and prosperity by which the last two decades have been marked, have perhaps contributed more than any other factors to the development of the ideal of an united Canadian people.

"A STUBBORN CINDERELLA"

Great care has been taken by Chas. A. Goettler in his selection of the people for the various roles in his presentation of the Hough, Adams and Howard musical comedy, "A Stubborn Cinderella," which will be the attraction at the Empire Theater Feb. 9, 10 and 11. Mr. Goettler's opportunity for choice of artists is a very wide one, and the cast for this season's "A Stubborn Cinderella" has been selected with extreme care.

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TO LO ROUND
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 9.—To discuss reasons and remedies for the problem of pastorless Presbyterian churches, of which there are stated to be over 2,000 in this country at the present time, a two days' conference of supervisors and workers' was represented at the conference.

TAFT WIELDS BIG STICK

Washington, Feb. 9.—President Taft served notice on Congress today, through Senators Crane and Carter, that there must be a vote on the reciprocity agreement with Canada. If there was not, he would call Congress back for an extra session almost immediately after March 4th.

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Lot 26-27, Block 9, R.L. 4. Price.....\$1100

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Lots on Namayo avenue, Northcoke, each.....\$400

37 feet on Jasper, reserve bearing, close to McDougall avenue. Price per foot.....\$1,000

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Snap in lot and a half just north of railway tracks—Cash.....\$4250

Lots in Block 8 on Ave. Norwood.....\$750

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2 Lots in Fairview on avenue each.....\$500

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4 Lots in Beechmount on avenue, each.....\$400

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Mr. B. Gabriel, a Salvation Army evangelist, will conduct the special service at the Army barracks this evening.

A meeting of the Humane Society will be held at Mr. J. A. McDougall's residence, 218 Victoria Avenue, this evening at eight o'clock.

An entertainment entitled "An evening full of fun," will be given by the Westminster church in the church basement on Monday 13th inst., at 8 p.m.

The Ladies' aid of Wesley church intend having a sale of work and business men's lunch on the 30th of March. Look for announcements later.

Judge Simmons' first judgment in an Edmonton court, yesterday awarded Mrs. Louis Bennett \$350 damages from the city of Edmonton, as a result of a fall she suffered on ice at the corner of Fifth and Jasper created by a leaky water pipe.

An adjourned meeting of the board of directors of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held on Saturday next February 11th at 4 p.m., instead of at the usual time 3 p.m. The meeting is to be held in the home on Third Street and as most important business is to be transacted a full attendance is requested.

George Loutit, Ed. Wyke and James McLennan leave Fort Saskatchewan this afternoon on their long journey to Port Chipewyan with the northern mails. The consignment contains mail for all points on the Athabasca and will be passed from post to post by employees of the Hudson's Bay Company.

THE WEATHER.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 10.—In Manitoba and Saskatchewan the weather has been fine and cold while in Alberta it has been comparatively mild.

Forecast—Manitoba and Saskatchewan, fine and moderately cold.

Alberta, fine, not much change in temperature.

Kamloops, cloudy	39	35
Edmonton, fair	32	0
Calgary, fair	36	0
Lethbridge, fair	41	10
Battleford, clear	20	-16
Regina, foggy	—	-16
Winnipeg, clear	11	-9
Port Arthur, clear	28	10

Interesting News for Conservative Investors

Finest Double Corner on Victoria Ave. West End	\$6,000
Good Terms	
Nice lot in Block Nine, H.B.R.	\$1,000
Terms	
Two Lots on Fifth Street, south	\$4,000
Double Corner on First Street	\$30,000
Lot on Bellamy	\$3,500
Eight Room House, New and Modern, on Fourteenth Street	\$5,500
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SOCIAL

Mrs. George Harcourt will receive on Friday this week for the last time this season.

"A" Squadron, 10th Alberta Dragoons will hold their next dance in the Separate school hall on Monday February 13.

The executive of the Caledonian Society have arranged to hold the regular monthly dance in the Separate school hall this evening at eight o'clock. The dance will take the same form as dances in the past, which have always been so popular, and so much enjoyed by all. Lynch's orchestra will provide the music.

A pleasant social of the Young People's Society was held Tuesday in Erskine Presbyterian church at which officers were elected for the ensuing year. President of the Guild, M. Forbes, vice-president, Donald MacDuff, secretary, Miss Gertrude Smith; treasurer, Harry Dunham; organist, Miss H. Clyde; W. C. McArthur was president of the Men's Brotherhood. The Young People's Guild has had a successful year under the presidency of Hugh McEachern.

INQUEST ADJOURNED

Unable to Secure Conclusive Evidence as to Cause of Edmonton Man's Death.

The inquest on the body of Sherman Spence who dropped dead on the trail in the neighborhood of Lake Athabasca on February 2 was held at the undertaking parlors of Andrews Bros. yesterday afternoon. No facts beyond those previously known were brought out by the investigation which was adjourned until February 27th to allow Inspector Worsley of the Royal North West Mounted Police to make certain investigations in the North country. The difficulty in securing such evidence as would be conclusive was due to the fact there are no people in the city who saw the unfortunate man immediately previous to his death nor is there anyone who saw him immediately after he was found. The members of the survey party with which he was working are still in the north and those, the two men Messrs. Meagher and Munnell, who brought the body into the city were not present at the time the body was found. The same jury will be assembled for the inquest on February 27th at 10 a.m.

Until instructions have been received from his relatives at Winnipeg the body will be taken in charge by the Typographical Union.

NEED NEW CITY HALL.

Commissioners decide to look for More Commodious Quarters—May Secure Plans for New Structure This Year.

That Edmonton stands in pressing need of a new city hall, to provide accommodation even for the civic departments already housed there, was the opinion expressed in the commissioners' meeting yesterday afternoon. It was suggested by Mayor Armstrong that at an early date steps should be taken to provide for a new building, the completion of which will require three years from the time when plans are first prepared.

Meanwhile the commissioners themselves are to seek new quarters. The offices now occupied by them are too small, and it is proposed to abandon these in favor of a suite of offices to be rented in the most convenient quarter, the present quarters being utilized by the city solicitor.

Five large offices are desired by the commissioners, one for each commissioner, one to be used as a reception room, and a fifth for the use of the clerical staff.

The medical officer of health, the city engineer, and the waterworks superintendent will report on a scheme for equipping the public market with sanitary conveniences.

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Describing the fence round the baseball park as a "Menace to the public safety," Commissioner Bouillon advised that the owner be required to remedy this condition at once. The commissioner will write him to this effect.

MARKET COMMITTEE REACHES NO DECISION

A meeting between the market committee of the council and S. W. Cassidy and T. Hutchings held yesterday arrived at no arrangement regarding the market regulations to discuss which the meeting was held. Messrs. Kelly and Elens have a lease on the Market privileges and the council does not feel at liberty to make any change. Briefly the farmers' wants are these: Tuesdays and Saturdays for market days, right to feed animals on First Street square, no waying fee at First Street square for those paying market dues and several other amendments to the present regulations.

SMOKING CONCERT.

Given by the Trades and Labor Council Last Evening Was Well Attended.

The smoking concert given under the auspices of the Edmonton Trades and Labor Council in the Mechanics

hall last night was attended by almost four hundred men belonging to all the different unions in Edmonton. The gathering of laboring men was so large that all the seats available were taken long before the concert started so that those who came a little late were compelled to stand. During the course of the evening refreshments were served and stirring addresses were delivered by Jos. Adair, J. Knight and J. Clarke. The chair was occupied by the president of the Trades and Labor Council F. J. Barton. In addition to the addresses there were several songs and recitations all of which were well received by the audience. The meeting broke up about midnight.

**EDMONTON BUILDERS
TO VISIT WINNIPEG**
Will Attend National Convention Which Opens on the Fifteenth of This Month.

A special car of the C.P.R. has been chartered by members of the Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and other builders' exchanges to go to Winnipeg to attend the annual convention of the Canadian National association of builders, which opens there on February 15th. The Edmonton exchange became

affiliated with the National association last fall. The appointed delegates from Edmonton are C. C. Batson, Geo. W. Boughton, A. M. Frith and Alderman Miller. In addition to these some ten or twelve members of the exchange will go. About the same number will go from Calgary, and some from Lethbridge. The car is to leave Calgary Saturday night.

NEW REALTY FIRM.

A new realty firm will open its doors to the Edmonton public today. Messrs. Norman D. Jackson and J. C. Davis both real estate men from Calgary have started business at 68 Jasper Avenue east in splendid offices which were opened this morning. The local manager of the firm will be Mr. A. J. Murray. They will list a large selection of both city and country property. In as much as the firm is well known in the Middle West states they are acquainted with many prospective investors in Western Canada realty. They have at Alle an extensive subdivision which they are going to place on the market as well as about 2000 acres of the best farming land in that vicinity. The offices of the firm which are located at 68 Jasper Avenue east are splendidly fitted and in every way suitable for offices of that nature.

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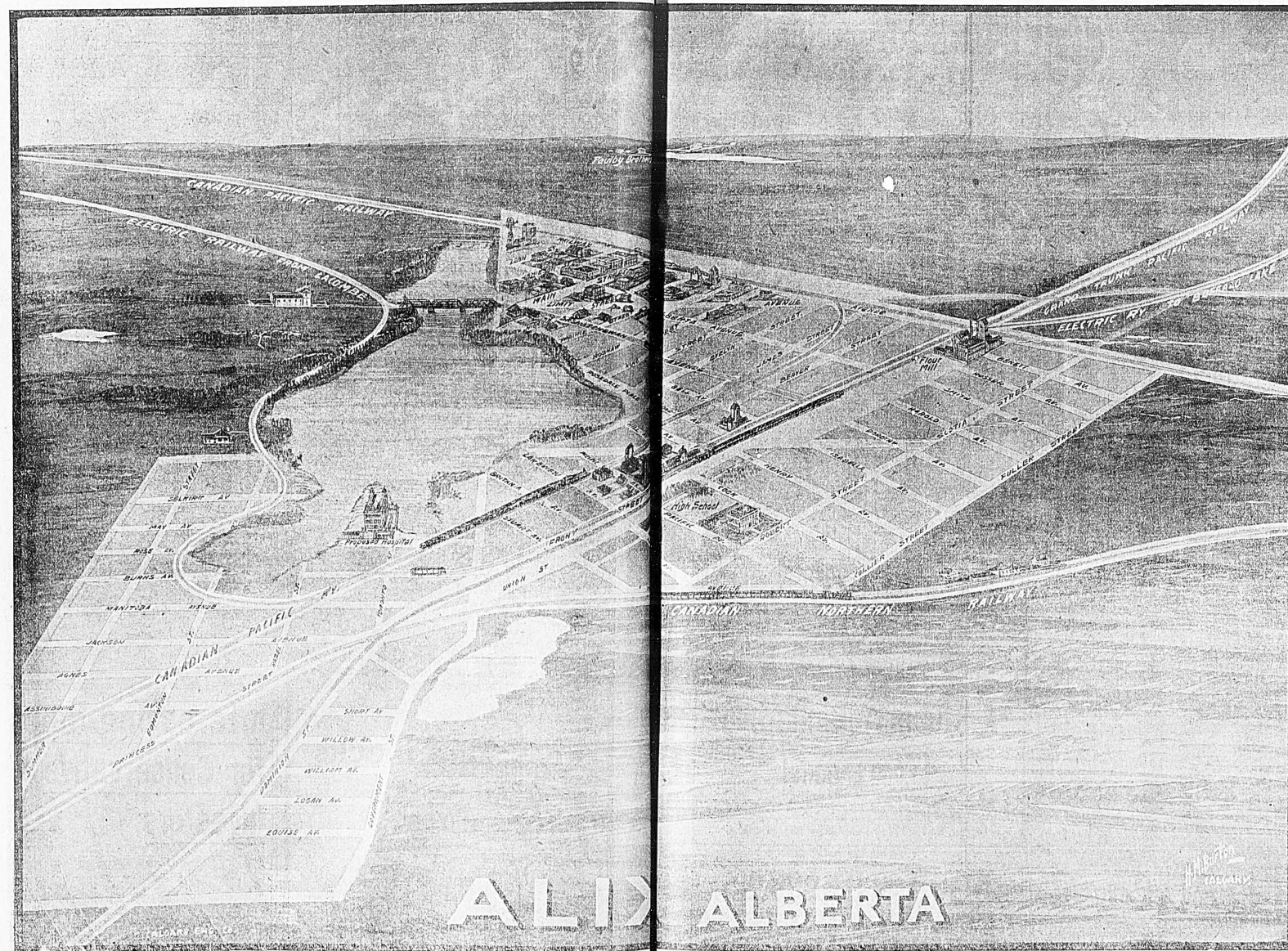
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We still have many good propositions left in central and outside business properties and shall be pleased to answer enquiries regarding each.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

A concert will be given in the First Baptist church this evening.

A. E. Wetmore, secretary of the Edmonton Builders exchange, will accompany the delegation of builders to the convention of the National association in Winnipeg next week.

Fred Macbeth, son of H. Macbeth, has been transferred from the Grain branch of the Bank of Commerce of this city.

An action for damages has been commenced against the city by a Russian named Gancowski. He claims damages for the value of an ox which was killed by the street car near 23rd street during the fall. He places the value of the beast at \$100.

For the first time in the police history of Edmonton a Japanese was arrested for being drunk. He was rounded up last night by a policeman and spent the night in the Rice street cooler.

The Alberta Women's Association will meet Saturday, February 11, at 3 p.m. in the Strathcona Collegiate Institute. After the business meeting will have been finished the Rev. F. W. Patterson will deliver an address on the movement for international peace.

Mr. H. C. Anderson, C.A., Manager of the Traders' Bank of Canada, will give a lecture on "Banking and Bills of Exchange" to the Chartered Accountants' Students' Association in the Commercial Room of the Alberta College tonight, at 8:30 p.m. Programmes for the season have been completed and will be given out.

The commissioners have written the Strathcona council offering to make the north end of the bridge the fare for passengers travelling in either direction. They point out, however, that if this comes into effect, people living across the bridge on the Strathcona side, will find it necessary to cross the bridge to board the Edmonton car, or pay double fare.

STRATHCONA MAN A RHODES SCHOLAR
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vince in which he receives his education. In this instance Mr. Scott will represent Alberta through having his home in Strathcona although he has been attending Eastern schools and universities for several years.

The provincial committee met last Saturday at Government House for the selection of the scholarship candidate and as Mr. Scott was the only one of the applicants with all the necessary qualifications the choice fell upon him. Applications were called for in both provinces sometime last fall.

\$600 Per Foot.

As rumored in the city for the past two or three days the deal is being made for the transfer of the Iroquois hotel to a German syndicate for a price in the vicinity of \$45,000. There appears to be some slight hitch in completing the deal but this difficulty is expected to be settled within a short time. As near as can be learned several parties are interested in the deal, the hotel being at present under the management of Harry McGinn, formerly of the firm of Carstairs and McGinn.

The Iroquois is one of the oldest hostels in the city having been erected many years ago on its present site on Whyte avenue west. The building occupies two lots, the frontage paid by the new purchaser for this property being about \$600 per foot. The building is a frame structure two and a half stories in height and not of great value in itself. The location is excellent, being close to the post office and what is undoubtedly to become the business centre of the city.

Some members of the Strathcona Brewing and Malting company are said to be included in the group of purchasers, who are about to be capitalized at about \$150,000.

Fire Narrowly Averted.
About 9 o'clock last night fire was discovered in the general store of R. J. Macdonald on the corner of Whyte and First street east and a huge conflagration was only averted by the speedy action of the firemen. The blaze appears to have originated from a stove in the front of the building shortly after the place was locked by the managers at 8 o'clock. The flames were making rapid headway in a counter of boots and shoes when discovered and with a sounding of thousands of dollars worth of clothing and fabrics would shortly have been impossible to control. The brigade made a remarkable quick response and extinguished the blaze with very little damage to the mass of dry goods in this section of the store. A considerable quantity of footwear and clothing was burned.

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